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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 6, 2008, in connection with the aboveidentified patent application (Paper No./Mail Date 20080603), please consider the following amendment and arguments. This Response is timely filed within 5-months and requires a two-month extension of time with necessary fees.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.